

News From Southern Shores Town Hall

Friday, October 28, 2005

Happy Halloween

The Southern Shores Police Department says Halloween can be a lot of fun for parents and kids alike –if everybody remembers the tricks and treats of playing it safe. Smart trick-or-treating is:

- Going trick-or-treating with friends and bringing along a grown up.
- Using make-up instead of a mask so that you can see.
- Making a map of your trick-or-treat route for your parents.
- Staying in your own neighborhood.
- Not walking in the street. Stop, look, and listen at every corner.
- Showing respect for other people and their property.
- Not stopping at a dark house.
- Checking your treats with a parent before you eat them.
- Not going inside a stranger's house, no matter what.

For more tips on safe trick-or-treating go to ["Halloween"](#).

Southern Shores Volunteer Fire Department Donates Fire Truck

On Saturday October 22, 2005, the Southern Shores Volunteer Fire Department turned over the keys of a 1982 FMC/ Ford Bean Pumper to Chief Charles Wise and Assistant Chief Ronnie Davis of the East Harrison Volunteer Fire Department, Harrison County, Biloxi, Mississippi.

Amy Stanley, volunteer with the Southern Shores Fire Department, spent a week in Biloxi assisting the East Harrison County firefighters following Hurricane Katrina. Harrison County, a coastal county, was devastated by Katrina and through October 21 had 75 confirmed fatalities due to Hurricane Katrina. East Harrison Volunteer Fire Department lost its fire station and much of its equipment.

The East Harrison County Volunteer Fire Department is a newly formed department that serves the citizens of a 25 square mile district located in rural East Harrison County, in southern Mississippi. The department opened its doors in October of 2004 and Hurricane Katrina hit in September 2005.

Go to ["truck"](#) to see the picture with members of the SSVFD and members of the East Harrison Volunteer Fire Department, who are wearing the red shirts with white logos.

One Stop Voting:

If you are not able to vote on Election Day (November 8) or want to vote early, you can vote early at the following locations:

- Baum Center, 300 Mustian Street, Kill Devil Hills, Monday-Friday, till November 4 from 10AM to 2PM.
- Dare County Board of Elections Office, 200 Ananias Dare Street, Manteo, Monday-Friday, till November 4 from 8:30AM to 5PM, Saturday, November 5 from 8:30AM-1PM.

For more information call Dare County Board of Elections at 252-475-5630.

Change Your Clocks, Change Your Smoke Detector Batteries

It's that time of year again! Sunday, October 30, 2005 (at 2:00 AM) is the day you turn your clocks back 1 hour to standard time. It is also a great time to change your smoke detector batteries and then test every detector in your home. Hint: When you go to bed Saturday night, turn your clocks back so you won't be early Sunday

FYI !! Hwy. 168 in Moyock will be closed briefly on Saturday, November 12

Saturday, November 12, is the annual Moyock Ruritan Club Patriotism Day Parade. Hwy. 168 in Moyock will be closed briefly for the parade. The parade will begin at 10:00 AM at Moyock Elementary School.

Chipping:

The Chipper will be in Sector #1 the week of October 31, and your brush should be placed out by Monday morning. Sector #2 can start putting their brush out for chipping. **For more information and schedule on the program go to [Chips](#). To see a sector map go to [Map](#). Chips are available, please contact [Karen](#) with your address and place a sign off the right-of-way where to put the chips.**

Dates To Remember:

- Long Range Planning Committee, Thursday, October 27, 2005, 3:30 PM, Pitts Center
- Town Council Meeting, Tuesday, November 1, 2005, 7 PM, Pitts Center ["see agenda"](#)
- Election Day, Tuesday, November 8, 2005, 6:30 AM to 7:30 PM, Pitts Center
- Canal Dredging Project Update, November 10, 2005, 7 PM, Pitts Center

If you need a police officer, anytime day or night, this weekend or any day of the year, please call Central Communications at 252-473-3444. Write that number down or pick up a free sticker at Town Hall. Keep this number by your phone and put it on your cell phone.

For more information, contact the Southern Shores Town Hall, 252-261-2394, 252-255-0876 (fax), info@southernshores-nc.gov , www.southernshores-nc.gov .

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